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MEDIA ADVISORY

On February 7, 2005, the San Antonio Police Department initiated an investigation regarding a sexual assault allegation against Assistant Police Chief Jerry Pittman. The investigation is essentially complete. Any outstanding records have been subpoened and will be forwarded to the district attorney as soon as they are obtained. The investigative team (Intelligence and Sex Crimes detectives) submitted the case today to the Bexar County District Attorney's Office for their disposition.

Chief Pittman has not been charged with any crime and will remain in his position as Assistant Police Chief.

Police Chief Albert Ortiz feels it is inappropriate and premature to discuss this case until the District Attorney has completed their review of the case.